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TITLE: PATTERNED POLYURETHANE
FOAM AND A PROCESS FOR THE
PROTECTION OF TUFTED GOODS
WITH PATTERNED FOAM BACKING

)RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

)EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

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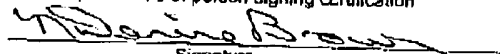
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